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To: Ashbee, Blake [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group

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Subject: RE: Reporter's query regarding your work related to the potential expansion and prioritization of North Birmingham

National Priorities List site -- following up on vm

Got it. Thanks.

Larry

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From: Ashbee, Blake

Sent: Sunday, July 1, 2018 8:47 PM

To: Lincoln, Larry <Lincoln.Larry@epa.gov> **Cc:** Jenkins, Brandi <Jenkins.Brandi@epa.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Reporter's query regarding your work related to the potential expansion and prioritization of North

Birmingham National Priorities List site -- following up on vm

Larry, see below. I am working on an appropriate response and will get with you in the morning to send out. Thanks.

Blake

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Glenn, Trey" < Glenn. Trey@epa.gov>

To: "Ashbee, Blake" <ashbee.blake@epa.gov>, "Jenkins, Brandi" <<u>Jenkins.Brandi@epa.gov</u>> Subject: Fwd: Reporter's query regarding your work related to the potential expansion and prioritization of North Birmingham National Priorities List site -- following up on vm

Please prepare draft response for Larry to send. Let me approve prior to sending.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Sean Reilly" < sreilly@eenews.net **To:** "Glenn, Trey" < Glenn.Trey@epa.gov

Subject: Reporter's query regarding your work related to the potential expansion and prioritization of North Birmingham National Priorities List site -- following up on vm

Mr. Glenn:

I'm working on an article for tomorrow related to the fact that your name surfaces repeatedly on Balch and Bingham billing statements (sample attached) introduced by the government as exhibits in the ongoing federal criminal trial of Joel Gilbert, Steven McKinney and David Roberson. The story will note that as Region 4 administrator you have agreed to recuse yourself from matters involving Balch and Drummond Co. until August 2019. I had a number of other questions, however, that I'm hoping you can address related to your prior work regarding the North Birmingham site:

- 1) What services were you providing and to whom? (e.g., Balch and Bingham? Drummond Co.?)
- 2) What led you to become involved in this matter?
- 3) Were you at any time aware of potentially illicit activity along the lines of what is now alleged in the indictment of Mr. Gilbert, Mr. McKinney and Mr. Roberson?
- 4) Have you been contacted by federal law enforcement authorities in regard to the criminal investigation that led to this indictment and, if so, by what agency (or agencies)?
- 5) If so, have you been interviewed or otherwise agreed to cooperate?
- 6) Have you been notified that you are a target of a state or federal criminal investigation?
- 7) Have you been notified that you could be called as a witness in the ongoing criminal trial?
- 8) Have you hired a lawyer to represent you and, if so, who?
- 9) Is there anything you would like to add?

If you would like to discuss these issues by phone, I can be reached at 202-446-0433 until about 9 p.m. tonight and will be back in the office by 8:30 tomorrow morning. I can also be reached on my cell phone up until 11 p.m. this evening at 202-316-4596.

My deadline is 11:30 a.m. (ET) tomorrow.

Thanks very much, Sean Reilly Reporter
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